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SUBJECT : Withdrawal from Issue of **Application No. 10/783,981**

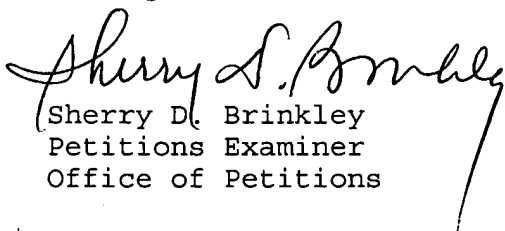
Applicant(s) : Michael J. Simmons, et al.
Application No. : 10/783,981
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The above-identified application has been assigned Patent No. 7,314,148 and an issue date of January 1, 2008.

It is hereby directed that this application be withdrawn from issue at the request of the applicant. Do not refund the issue fee.

The following erratum should be published in the Official Gazette if the above-identified application is published in the OG of January 1, 2008:

"All reference to Patent No. 7,314,148 to MICHAEL J. SIMMONS, ET AL. of MICHIGAN for CONTAINERS, SLEEVES AND LIDS THEREFOR, ASSEMBLIES THEREOF, AND HOLDING STRUCTURE THEREFOR appearing in the Official Gazette of January 1, 2008 should be deleted since no patent was granted."


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